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All Set For Strathmore Stampede, Wednesday, July 15

A Day of Real Sport

History of The Stampede

Strathmore will be the hub of this part of the universe on Wednesday afternoon of next week, when the third annual Stampede comes off. A big force of volunteer workers have been busy erecting fences and corrals, while the various committees are getting their end of the show ready. Dick Cosgrave, the manager, is as busy as a dog with two tails, getting the stock lined up, and Bob Anderson and Leslie West are also making the dust fly under their feet, while Secretary Dunn is in a dozen different places at one time.

The Stampede has been well advertised, and inquiries are coming from riders all over the country.

Adequate arrangements have been made for the feeding of the big crowd who will be in town on Wednesday. The concessions at the grounds are in charge of Mr. Wm. Lee, a local man, and the prices he is advertising assure everyone that they can bring their families and not be "soaked", as the vernacular has it.

Local stores will be open from 8 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 6 p.m. for the rest of the evening, so that you can take advantage while in town of the bargains offered for the day.

Heavy Rainfall

Hail Damage Near Carletonplace

If the 1925 crop suffers from any cause, it will not, apparently, be from drought. After a dry period of eight days, a heavy rainstorm broke on Monday afternoon, and by 7 a.m. Tuesday morning one and seven-tenths inches of rainfall had fallen at Strathmore, and the rain continued on Tuesday.

Unfortunately there was a streak of hail in the rainfall, which did considerable damage from Dalemead east. The hail is stated to have struck first at Indus, and swept through about three miles north of Carletonplace, affecting the crops of Page, Mackie, Robinson, Martin, and other farmers in that line. It then continued east to Strathmore, and the rain continued on Tuesday. The strip is estimated to have been about three miles wide, but details are yet meagre owing to some phones being down. Fortunately insurance was carried in most cases.

Crop Progress. Crops generally throughout the district, favoured by warm weather, have made rapid progress, and are now standing from two to three feet high and heading out. Fall type is now maturing, and cutting will commence sometime during the present month. Potatoes and other root crops are showing a good stand.

Rainfall for June. Following are the figures for June rainfall throughout the district, as supplied by the C.P.R. Irrigation Department:

Carletonplace	4.85
Crowfoot, 6 miles east Strathmore	6.49
Carleton, near Irticane	4.49
Chadwick	3.97
Chancellor	4.28
Strathmore	4.54
Gleichen	2.84
Winona, near Rockyford	4.41
Average for the district	4.11

Highest Average Since 1915. The average for the six months ending July 1st of this year is 11.54 inches, being the highest recorded since 1915.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

A number of volunteers have been working every evening erecting the fences, wire and corrals for the Stampede. There will be work to do every night until the day of the Stampede, and the committee will be glad of your help every evening you can spare.

Municipal District Owns Park

BRUCE LAKES PICNIC GROUNDS OPENED

The enterprise shown by the Municipal District of Keoma in acquiring a picnic and sports ground at Bruce Lakes was amply justified by the big crowd which attended the opening last Wednesday afternoon.

The project had been in the minds of the Municipal Council for some time, but it was only two weeks ago, that the deal was put through with the C.P.R., who cooperated with the Municipality by selling the ground, for five dollars an acre.

The park amounts to 55 acres in area, and is almost surrounded by water, making an ideal site for sports and picnic parties. The use of the ground, free to anyone for camping parties or picnics. It is situated about four miles east of Keoma, near the centre of the Municipality.

A bandstand has been erected on the highest point of the land, and later on trees will be planted, bathing shelters, etc.

The Opening. The opening ceremony commenced with the playing of selections by Strathmore Citizens' Band. Rev. A. C. Serfaty, in his introductory remarks stated that this was the first venture of the kind, as far as he knew, to be undertaken by any Municipal District within the Province, but he did not think the organizers would be judged the Council had taken unfavorably. The ground had been purchased at a very low figure, and it would be for the use of the taxpayers for all time, and he hoped that they would all make the fullest use of it.

Mr. J. C. Buckley, M.L.A., for this constituency, congratulated the ratepayers on acquiring such a beautiful site, and also on having such a progressive Council. No one could estimate its value in promoting neighborhood feeling among the people of the district. He then spoke for some time on the Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry Pools Campaign.

Mr. S. S. Fering, and ex-cere of the Municipal District, also congratulated the Reeve and Council on providing for the Municipality this beautiful park. The project had been in the minds of the council and ratepayers for a number of years past, and he was glad it had finally come to fruition.

He then went on to speak of the



tripled campaign, which he said was going over strong in all the dairying sections of this province. It had not created so much interest here, as this was more of a grain-raising section. They all acknowledged the benefit the Wheat Pool had been, and even though it was only two weeks ago, that the main source of revenue of the majority of those present, he asked them to give their moral support by joining the pool. If this province was to develop agriculturally, they had to find markets for their produce, and while the Wheat Pool was solving the problem for wheat growers, the other pools would do the same for mixed farming. This part of the province was the poorest organized with regard to the pool campaign, and he asked them to get out and give their assistance, and cooperate with their fellow farmers throughout the province.

The park was then formally declared opened. Mr. Buckley planting a small tree in honour of the occasion, while the band played the National Anthem.

Sports. First of all a number of children's sports were run off, followed by a tug-of-war, which was won after a strenuous contest, by Keoma. The main item of the afternoon was the baseball game between the K.C.R. team (Keoma-Kathryn Klub) and Calgary Hustlers. It was a close game all the way through and ended in a 7-6 win for the Calgary team.

Lefty Brown was in the box for Keoma, and Murray Smith for Hustlers, and both were at top form. Tumble plays were registered by the

Keoma Notes

On Saturday, July 4th, the Keoma Dramatic Society put on their play in the new hall, which is at last light. This was not to be the opening night as the dance floor was not ready, but the society find that it is their last chance to present "Nothing But the Truth".

Most of the Keoma people turned out to the picnic at Bruce Lakes Municipal Park on July 1st. The K-C-K. had their ball game against the Blue, the score being 7-6.

The crops in this district are fine, the late hail storm not doing much

BAND WILL BE THERE

The Strathmore Citizens' Band, which will play all afternoon at the Stampede, is a local organization which is probably stronger and better than it has ever been before. Under the leadership of Bandmaster Hirtle the band received great praise for the selections given at the Bruce Lake picnic and sports last Wednesday.

Kitties in both the first and second linings. Other sports were run off during the course of the afternoon. It was estimated that about a thousand people were present, and all seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves. Councillor Roumiller was in charge of the programme for the afternoon, and much credit is due to him and the others who assisted.

DICK COSGRAVE COMES SECOND AT GLEICHEN

Gleichen held a very successful Stampede for two days last week. A large number of Strathmore and district visitors attended. Dick Cosgrave, manager of Strathmore Stampede, was one of the bucking finalists, receiving \$50, and also \$35 for the best bucking horse.

Distinguished Visitor

BISHOP KIDD AT STRATHMORE SUNDAY

Right Rev. J. T. Kidd, D.D., the recently appointed Bishop of Calgary will be at Strathmore on Sunday, July 12, and will conduct Low Mass at 10 a.m., and confirmation immediately following.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorpe, of Edmonton, accompanied by Mrs. Matheson, returned home last Thursday, after staying a few days with Mrs. Hall, of Keoma. Miss Hockart, the niece of the Gal- loway, is staying a few days with her aunt.

Miss Fay Anthony is home for a few days.

The Keoma school is getting a fine coat of paint on it, and with our hall, makes Keoma look real smart.

THE INDIANS ARE COMING

While down at Gleichen Stampede, where he got second money in the bucking competition, Dick Cosgrave, Strathmore Stampede manager, powdered with the Indians, with the result that he figures on the whole Blackfoot tribe being up for the day. The Indians are good sports and good riders, and besides adding colour to the scene, they will make the sports more interesting.

THE CHUCK WAGON RACES

Several entries are already assured for the chuckwagon race, but there is no reason why local boys should not enter yet. There are a bunch of boys in every district around here, who could make a good entry and have every chance of picking up first money. Let's go.

STAMPEDE SPECIAL PICTURE

As an extra Stampede attraction at Strathmore, a special western film "The Light of Western Stars," based on Zane Grey's novel, will be run in the Memorial Hall, commencing 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday evening, until the dance starts.

DANCE IN THE EVENING

The Stampede Dance is always one of the features of Strathmore Stampede for the younger generation of both sexes. The G.W.V.A. for this dance has engaged the services of Mrs. Trainor's famous five-piece orchestra. Those who do not come to Strathmore often are reminded that the Memorial Hall has a fine hardwood floor, and that there is accommodation for several hundred couples. The refreshments at the dance will be purveyed by the Anglican Ladies' Guild.

BRING IN YOUR HORSES

Those in the district who have horses with a good kick in them should bring them in. Prizes of \$15 and \$10 are offered for the best bucking horses. Horses brought in will be fed, watered, and looked after from the day before till the day after the Stampede. Horses are required to have good halters and halter chains.

STRATHMORE WAR MEMORIAL HALL



Completed 1921 at a cost of over \$17,000. Proceeds of the Stampede go to paying off the remaining debt on this hall, approximately \$3,300.

Strathmore Locals

On July 4th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tarrant, the members of the Council of M. D. Kenna, and their wives, personally presented Councillor and Mrs. P. H. Denkin, of Ardmore, with a chest of silver in recognition of their recent marriage. Several speeches were made, and an enjoyable evening spent.

A very enjoyable concert was given on Tuesday evening, June 30, by the Haydn Quartette, of Calgary. Though the audience was small, it was very appreciative, and the various numbers were repeatedly encored.

Offences in Strathmore against the Liquor Act have been very few since the Act came into effect. However, on Wednesday a farm hand was fined \$20 and costs for drunkenness, in sequel to this was provided on Friday when an employee of a local hotel was fined \$20 and costs for supplying an intoxicated man with beer. The defence was that the man in question had not been served. The evidence for the prosecution brought out that the hotelkeeper had instructed the waiter not to serve the man.

Mr. E. F. Wheeler has a fine bed of strawberries. He picked from eight to ten gallons of berries from it on Friday.

The editor of a newspaper—that is, a good editor—is supposed to have the gift of forecasting or intelligent anticipation strongly developed. On this basis Len Neakitt, who presides over the business of the Bassano over a very good editor. Instead of going home after the newspaper convention he took in the races at Winnipeg on Saturday, and with an investment of \$2.50 on a single horse collected \$91. Contrary to report, he did not put his money on Danette, Bassano boy up, but on a horse called Tar Boy.

Standard want ads bring quick results. Mr. R. West advertised a couple of tons of hay for sale, and within a few hours the hay had found a purchaser.

The Strathmore baseball diamond has been improved by having wire netting strung all the way round. This will save windshields and the occasional violent contacts with the ball that formerly made a spectator feel that he was taking a very active part in the game.

A great number from Strathmore and district took in the parade at Calgary on Monday. Those who left after the parade got home without difficulty, but some of those who left late in the day spent several hours on the road home, owing to the heavy rain affecting the roads.

Plans are being prepared for extensions to Sacred Heart Church, Strathmore, and the extensions will be gone on with shortly. The average Sunday attendance is now over 200.

The St. John's Rotary Rod Weeder will be demonstrated at Seneca and Boyles Farm every day next week.

Bert Huffman left last week for a prospecting trip into the new gold fields of Canada, B.C. He will visit Shawagway, Whitehorse, Stewart, and other northern points in quest of material and photographs for a number of magazine articles.



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Brown Sugar, 5 lbs. for	45c
Seedless Raisins, 5 lbs.	60c
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Large Prunes 50 - 60, 25 lb. box ..	\$3.30
Green Plum Prunes, 5 lb. pkt.	75c

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NAMAKA NEWS

The Namaka Ladies Aid held their July meeting at the home of Mrs. E. F. Wheeler. A large number of members and visitors were present. Interesting papers on "Why we should

go to church" were read by Mrs. L. Atkins and Mrs. E. F. Wheeler. Final arrangements were made for the Ice Cream Social to be held at the home of Mrs. Johnson, on the evening of July 24th. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. White, Strathmore, August 6th.

NIGHTINGALE SPORTS ON 22nd

The annual sports, under the auspices of the Nightingale Athletic Association, take place this year on July 22nd. An attractive programme has been arranged, including a contest to horse races, foot races, baseball game, Strathmore vs. Kenna, football game, Nightingale vs. St. John's, basketball, Strathmore vs. Nightingale. There will be a tug-o-war, Nightingale vs. the World, and a big dance in the Nightingale hall. Nightingale has been blessed by nature with a natural amphitheatre, and thousands can see the events from the banks overlooking the grounds. The annual sports, held there are very popular, and have drawn large crowds. Strathmore merchants have donated generously to the prize list. Mr. H. Williams has the contract for the refreshment concessions.

Jack Miller, from S. H. Ho's place, west of town, was badly kicked on the forehead by a horse, and was treated by Dr. T. W. Moore. He is reported doing well.

CHEADLE NOTES

Billy Field's mother, who has been visiting with him since last fall, left for her home in New Brunswick, on Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Moore and children, of Calgary, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lougans are leaving this week on a motor trip to the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins, of Ontario left the past week for Ontario, where Mr. Robbins is taking a summer course at Queen's College. They left their little girl with Mrs. Robbins' parents. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Macdonald for the holidays.

The Ladies Club held a meeting on Thursday last, which was well attended. The building of the addition to their hall will soon be started.

The elevators will both be closed for two weeks after the 15th. Buyers leaving for parts as yet unknown.

HAIL LOSSES HEAVY

The hail loss in Monday's storm was heavy. The storm apparently started near Shipshaw, and worked down by Carleton Place, then through Clinton and south of Cluny.

Many windows were broken in its path. Many promising crops between Carleton Place and Cluny were badly damaged. This district was visited by hail in 1923, but had no previous hail affected for a long period. The 1923 crop found many without insurance, but on this occasion the great majority were protected, not sufficient, however, to protect them in view of the splendid prospects in yield, and the outlook for a good price.

STAMPEDE REFRESHMENTS

Meats Lee and Patterson, who, as will be seen from advt. in our columns, are conducting two refreshment tents at Strathmore Stampede, are local men and members of the G.W.A. The G.W.A. turned over the concessions to them as their own members were not sufficient in number to warrant them in conducting the tents themselves, but the association is receiving a comfortable sum for the concession. Meats Lee and Patterson are going to offer the public the benefit of low prices, as their announcement indicates, and they deserve support.

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Standard Notes

Mr. M. Kjar left on Sunday for a few days at the Stampede, and from there he will motor to Banff and Lake Louise.

The Standard U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. held their annual picnic at Bow River last Sunday, when the whole Standard district motored to the river south of Gleichen. Ideal weather prevailed, and all report a very enjoyable day.

Mr. Pete Dahl is in charge of the Parish & Helmbeck elevator during Mr. Kjar's absence.

Nearly everyone in the district attended the Calgary Stampede this week.

Mr. Stevens was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Horton last week.

Mr. Harry Lavidsen returned from the hospital in Calgary on Wednesday. He was accompanied by Mrs. H. Lavidsen.

Mr. A. V. Smith returned from Calgary on Wednesday.

Miss Leona Farling, of Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Alberta Pringle, of Lacombe, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Knowlton last week.

Mr. F. Messenger and Mr. Ted Knowlton spent June 28 at Cochrane, Alta. While there they visited Mr. Hugh Farling, formerly of Standard.

Another fire was added to Standard's list on July 1st, when the splendid barn of Mr. J. P. Nelson, two miles southeast of town, was burned to the ground in the short time of one half hour. About 11:15 Wednesday morning residents in Standard noticed smoke and flames issuing from the barn, and soon there were cars racing to the fire from every direction. It was impossible to save the building or any of its contents, and at 11:40 all that was left of the barn was smoking ruins. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and family were away at the Gleichen Stampede at the time of the fire, and have no clue as to what light have started it. No stock, and very little feed was in the barn at the time, but all the harness was lost. The building was covered by insurance. We can only hope that the opportunity pass without commenting on the able assistance rendered by the "Standard Fire Brigade", and the alertness displayed by those who rushed the Town Fire Engine to the scene. It arrived just forty minutes later.

Miss E. Lemmon, of the Craigieburn school, has left to spend her vacation in Los Angeles, California.

We regret to say that Mr. C. R. Turnbull is suffering with a severe case of typhoid fever.

STANDARD PUPILS CELEBRATE A pleasant evening was spent on Monday, June 29th, in the basement of the Danish church, when the pupils of the Dana School, with their parents and friends, gathered to celebrate the close of school. The children enjoyed some games in the Sport's Ground previous to the entertainment in the church.

Upon entering one could not help but notice the tastefully decorated tables, which were gay with bouquets of yellow daisies, low bowls of roses, and streamers of white, mauve, and green.

Many refreshments were served by the senior pupils, and when all had been served, a short programme followed.

Mr. N. P. Nelson acted as chairman of the evening, and after a few introductory remarks, the school children sang "O Canada", everyone joining in the chorus.

Mr. Howard then delighted those present with a violin solo, "Savonir", and was greatly applauded.

The Misses Viola and Dora Hansen gave great pleasure with their piano duet, and the Misses Cordie and Martha Peden played the "Witch's Flight" in their usual charming manner.

Mrs. Knowlton was next on the programme with a reading entitled "The Garden Elephant", and returned with a humorous negro encore in which a negro mammy tells of naming for numerous family.

Rev. Kjeller then called upon for a few remarks, and in reply told the children a very sweet story containing a splendid moral.

The audience was favored again with another excellent violin solo by Mr. Howard.

The chairman then asked Mrs. Knowlton for an address, and she replied with a few words addressed to the pupils.

Miss Peden and Mr. Gorrell, our two excellent teachers, then spoke, expressing appreciation of their tireless efforts, and their thankfulness that they were going to continue in the new school building.

At the close of the address little Miss Muriel Lee and Master Harold Larsen presented each of the teachers with a substantial pair of money as a slight token of esteem.

Miss Peden and Mr. Gorrell were both taken completely by surprise and responded by thanking those present for their kindness, and expressing the pleasure they had received during the evening.

The evening closed with a song by the school children, and "God Save the King."

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Mr. and Mrs. Dulais spent the week-end at Brooks.

Another hail storm passed over the district on June 28th, doing considerable damage to crops south and west of the town. The adjustments have been held over until later in the season, which is not to the liking of many who feel that a safe estimate can not be made.

Mrs. F. E. Wynne, secretary-treasurer of the Egg and Poultry Pool, who for some time has been making her headquarters in Edmonton, paid a brief visit to her home during the early part of last week.

A well attended meeting of the U.F.A. was held in the school house on Saturday night.

Mr. Walrod, of Rockyford, sold the local a cartload of twine, and if you have not ordered elsewhere phone Mr. Chapman, who will gladly reserve your requirements.

That fine optimistic speech given by Jimmie Black made us wonder if it was a special invitation for us to come to his bank and replenish our empty larder.

Little more than a year ago we listened to Col. Doughty, of the C.P.H., speak in glowing terms of the future. In company with others, we openly scoffed at his efforts to settle a burning question. Now we are bound to admit that not only is the "Colonial" a staunch and valiant man of the country, but he is also a prophet who in his own day and generation, has seen his vision become a reality.

The Baintree Community Club held its regular meeting on July 2nd. Mrs. Billy McMillan was the hostess of the day, and in the words of one who was present, the ladies had a lovely time.

The annual school picnic took place on Tuesday afternoon. The rendezvous being the shady dell at Gleichen. Outdoor sports, disposing of ice cream, cakes, and other dainties formed the most important parts of the program. And the next day, and for a good many days to follow, no school, Oh, boy! It makes us weep to think of our own misbegotten youth.

Miss Mary Haddon and little Edith spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Longbottom.

After the weekly examination by our medical attendant, he severely informed us that to save ourselves from bursting the clouds, we must either get in the hay or go fishing. Being unable to determine in which course the path of duty lay, we took the knotty problem to our pal Jimmy, who with characteristic Irish ingenuity, taking a silver nickel in his hand explained, "When I throw this in the air, if it sticks to the roof, you make the hay; if she comes down you go catch the trout." To our amusement and delight, the coin hit the floor heads up, another sign that the good dress of luck had cast her protecting mantle over our shadow. So like the Tom cat who went over the top wire with his tin tied to his tail, we now exclaim—"we're off."

STANDARD SPORTS

Next Friday, July 17, the prosperous town of Standard will hold its annual sports day. The afternoon will open with a ball game at 1 p.m. between Standard and Strathmore, the winner playing Gleichen at 4 p.m. There will be a football game at 4 p.m. The rest of the afternoon will be devoted to horse and foot races, and a big dance will be held in the evening.

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STRATHMORE

THIRD ANNUAL

STAMPEDE

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WEDNESDAY

JULY 15

Bring a Horse and Ride in the Grand Parade at 12.30, from Memorial Hall

STAMPEDE COMMENCES 1 P.M. PROMPT

\$800

CASH PRIZES

\$800

For Bucking Contests, Roping and Steer Riding, Chuck Waggon Race, and other Stampede Events with big Race Programme. Athletic Sports for the Children in the Forenoon.

STAMPEDE EVENTS

	Prizes	1st	2nd	3rd	Entry
Bucking Competition		\$100.00	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$2.00
Chuck Waggon Race		30.00	20.00	10.00	Free
One-hand Surcingle Bucking Contest		25.00	15.00	10.00	1.00
Wild Cow Milking Contest		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
One-hand Surcingle Steer Riding		15.00	10.00	—	1.00
Calf Roping, wrestle and tie to time		15.00	10.00	—	1.00
Best Bucking Horse		15.00	10.00	—	—
Best Dressed Cowboy		5.00	—	—	—
Best Dressed Cowgirl		5.00	—	—	—
	Prizes	1st	2nd	3rd	Entry
Democrat Race, 1/2 mile	\$	15.00	\$10.00	\$ 5.00	\$1.00
Walk, Trot and Run Race, 3/4 mile		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
1/2 mile Race, white men		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
1/2 mile Indian Race		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
1 mile Free-for-all		20.00	15.00	10.00	2.00
1/2 mile Pony Race, 14.2		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
1 1/2 mile Relay Race		15.00	10.00	5.00	1.00
Barrel Race		10.00	5.00	—	1.00
Ladies' Race		10.00	5.00	—	—
1/2 mile Ride and Run Race, 2 men to horse, change each furlong		10.00	5.00	—	1.00

Ladies' Maverick Race—Prize, Calf donated by Jim Barnett. Entry Free.
Athletic Sports for the Children in the Forenoon, \$25.00 in prizes.
ASSOCIATION RULES WILL GOVERN. PRIZES WILL BE PAID IN CASH AT STAMPEDE TENT.
RIDERS TO FIND THEIR OWN ASSOCIATION SADDLES, AND SURCINGLE RIDERS TO FIND OWN SURCINGLES.

ALL ENTRIES, with the exception of Horse Racing, must be sent in to F. J. Dunn, Strathmore, not later than 8 p.m. July 14th. With this exception no entries will be taken on Stampede Day.

Every precaution will be taken to prevent accidents, but the committee will not be responsible for any accidents that may occur.

GRAND STAMPEDE DANCE

— In The Evening In —

Memorial Hall

Music by Mrs. Trainor's Unrivalled Five-Piece Orchestra

Admission to Dance, per couple, \$1.50, Extra Lady, 50c.

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In Attendance All Afternoon

Stampede under auspices Strathmore G.W.V.A. and Board of Trade.
Local Stores will close at noon and re-open at 6 p.m. for evening business.

Patronise the Refreshment Tents on the Grounds.
All proceeds above expenses on Stampede Concessions, Dance, Etc., will go to the reduction of debt on

STATHMORE GREAT WAR MEMORIAL HALL
ALL ROADS LEAD TO STRATHMORE
on July 15th. Dick Cosgrave, who is managing the Stampede, is one of the West's Best Cowboys, and he has prepared a program that is full of thrills and pep.

ADMISSION—To Everything on the Field \$1.00
High School Students 50c

Bring the kiddies along; no charge for children under 12 years.
For further information apply to Dick Cosgrave, Stampede Manager, or F. J. Dunn, Secretary. Thos. E. Wright, Chairman; W. S. Patterson, Treasurer.

Rest Tents will be provided for women and children.
THIS COMMITTEE IS A MEMBER OF THE CANADIAN COWBOYS ASSOCIATION.
NOTHING BUT ASSOCIATION RULES USED.

School Column

ORANGE VALLEY

Standing of pupils in Orange Valley

S. D. for year ending June 30.

Grade VIII

Mary Kovak, Hazel Rindon.

Grade VII

Marion Wathen, Phyllis Wathen.

Grade VI

Phyllis Langley.

Grade V

Edith Bates, Carl Allison, Billy Bates.

Grade IV

Alton Allison, Edith Rindon, Dick Rindon, Ita Helms.

Grade III

Teddy Stephens.

The annual closing was held on Tuesday afternoon. A goodly number of the parents were in attendance.

The following is the prize list:

Girls Under Six

1. Marion Buchanan; 2. Florence Allison.

Boys Under Six

1. Frank Bates; 2. Leonard Wathen;

3. Charles Buchanan.

Girls Under Twelve

1. Phyllis Wathen; 2. Edith Bates;

Boys Under Twelve

1. Alton Allison; 2. Dick Rindon; 3. Edith Rindon.

Girls Over Twelve

1. Marion Wathen; 2. Hazel Rindon;

3. Mary Kovak.

Boys Over Twelve

1. Carl Allison; 2. Willie Langley;

3. Billy Bates.

Wheelbarrow Race

1. Willie Langley; 2. Billy Bates;

3. Alton Allison.

Girls Three-legged Race

1. Marion Wathen and Phyllis Wathen;

2. Mary Kovak and Hazel Rindon;

Boys Three-legged Race

1. Willie Langley and Alton Allison;

2. Billy Bates and Carl Allison; 3. Edith Rindon and Dick Rindon.

Girls Thread and Needle Race

1. Ita Helms and Marion Wathen;

2. Mary Kovak and Hazel Rindon; 3. Phyllis Wathen and Edith Bates.

Boys Thread and Needle Race

1. Billy Bates and Alton Allison; 2. Edith Rindon and Willie Langley;

3. Carl Allison and Dick Rindon.

Girls Egg and Spoon Race

1. Marion Wathen; 2. Hazel Rindon;

3. Phyllis Wathen.

Boys Egg and Spoon Race

1. Willie Langley; 2. Alton Allison;

3. Carl Allison.

Girls Best and Stocking Race

1. Phyllis Wathen; 2. Marion Wathen;

3. Hazel Rindon.

Boys Best and Stocking Race

1. Alton Allison; 2. Carl Allison; 3. Dick Rindon.

STRATHMORE NOTES

On Wednesday evening, June 24, the members of the Bow Valley Local of the Alberta Teachers' Association met at the Carleton Place.

The tea was served by the ladies of the Carleton Place.

The financial statement of the School Athletic Day, as prepared by the Manager of Sports, was accepted.

It was found that Nansha had not yet claimed its athletic shield, and the shield was left with the secretary, Mr. Reid.

The Bow Valley Local is sorry to lose from its membership Mr. Robinson, principal of the Carleton Consolidated School. He has been an active member, and is keenly interested in all school activities. Mr. Robinson intends to take university work in arts next year.

During next year the Alliance hopes to work for more co-operation among teachers, teachers and school boards (for the securing of more effective work in education); for a better School Fair; for good athletic and spelling tournaments, and a good oratorical contest.

Forty-six students from Strathmore school attended the annual meeting of the High School and University Matriculation Examination Board in Edmonton this week. Of these seven have written full or partial grade XII examinations, twelve have written the Normal School entrance examination, four the grade X papers, twelve the grade IX, and eleven the grade VIII examination. The fees range from one to seven dollars and ten cents, and totalled two hundred and ninety dollars from this school.

Every school in an examination centre for grades VIII, IX, and X, and pupils are writing at Serviceberry Creek, Berta Vale, Axtell, Hildwood, Nansha, Orange Valley, Gleason, and other schools. Carleton is also a centre for the senior examinations.

Marking begins in Edmonton on July 8, and it will require about fifteen days to complete the marking of about fifteen thousand candidates, a total of about one hundred thousand examinees.

For this work, a staff of two hundred and fifty to three hundred men is required, the leaders of the various groups of examinees being the inspectors and teachers from the Normal Schools.

During the past school year forty-five students attended classes in the High School work, the subjects of instruction being: Algebra, Arithmetic, Chemistry, Composition and Grammar, Literature, French, Latin, Science, Geometry, History of Literature, Ancient History, French History, Constitutional History, Modern History, Physics, Trigonometry, Agriculture, Art and Physical Culture.

One hundred and sixty-six pupils attended the public school during the year, making a total of two hundred and nine for both schools. School was held for a hundred and thirty days, several days being lost on account of a scarlet fever epidemic last fall. Three figures may be compared with two hundred and four pupils, and two hundred and four days of school two years ago.

The teachers of the Strathmore school entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wathen last Friday evening.

Very pleasant evening was spent, and a hot and sultry day was presented to Mrs. Dwyer as a token of the esteem in which she is held by the remainder

Social-Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chase are en-

joying a visit with Mrs. Chase's

brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. H.

Ennes, of Jackson, Michigan. This

is the first time Mrs. Chase has seen

her brother since coming to Strath-

more, over eighteen years ago.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.

H. W. Wathen on June 30.

Mrs. Steeman and family, from

Weyburn, Sask., are visiting at

persons with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Row,

Mrs. Steeman is a sister of Mr. Row.

The late Miss Catherine Carlson,

shortly before her death, expressed

a wish that a fine radio and a sum of

money which had been presented to

her by the people of the district some

time before to lighten the load borne

in bed, should be turned over to the

G.W.A. to assist in the Memorial

Hall, and in compliance with her

wish, the presentation was made by

her parents last week.

Miss Esther Zerkle won first prize

in the district east of Calgary in the

Stampede Competition put on by the

Albertan, and wins a free trip to Cal-

gary and \$25 cash.

Mr. W. D. Fisher, of the firm of

Gately and Fisher, formerly in busi-

ness in Strathmore, is in town at

present. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, re-

cently arrived back to the city, after

a visit to England. Since leaving

Strathmore in 1917 they have been

resident in Victoria.

Mrs. L. E. O. Loddell and family

left for the East on Sunday. They

will probably be away until Christmas.

Mrs. G. H. Patrick is on a week's

visit to her sister at Revelstoke.

Mrs. R. Jenkins is at present on a

visit to the coast.

We had a pasture Saturday from

Mr. John A. McDonald, stating that he

had visited Wembley, and spent several

hours with Mr. Chas. Allan in the

C.P.R. building at Wembley.

We have a letter from Mr. John A.

Campbell, formerly of Strathmore and

at present in Albany, New York. He

intends coming back to Strathmore in

August.

WHEAT POOL

DELEGATES ELECTED

Several local men are among the

delegates elected to the Wheat Pool

annual meeting. The names of those

from district "C" (south Calgary) are:

C. J. Fowler, Social Plains C. H.

Pann, Alvie; C. J. George, Crowsfoot;

Pann, Crowsfoot; C. J. H. R. Plummer, Bassano;

C. J. A. Thorsen, Nansha; C. E. W.

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NIGHTINGALE SPORTS

Wednesday, July 22nd

AT ARCHIE MCLEAN'S RANCH

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HORSE RACES—Ladies' Race, Relay Race, Pony Race, Consolation Race, Half Mile Race, One Mile Race.

ATHLETIC EVENTS—for Men and Women, Boys and Girls.

BASEBALL—Strathmore vs. Cooma.

FOOTBALL—Nightingale vs. Selected Team.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL—Nightingale vs. Strath-

more.

BIG DANCE—In Evening, Gents \$1.00

Admission to everything on Field, \$1.00

Children Under 13 Free

EVERYBODY COME

THE MODERATION LEAGUE REVIEWS HOTEL SITUATION

In an endeavour to obtain the views of the travelling public on the workings of the new Liquor Act and in particular the effect of Government Control on the standard of service and accommodation after one year's operation, letters were addressed to a number of prominent travellers working out of the four cities.

Replies generally indicate that the preponderant opinion is that a very general and marked improvement has been made in hotel accommodation throughout the province.

The elimination of a great number of Chinese owners within the year impresses as a favorable improvement.

However, while viewed as a whole, the comment is most favorable to the Act itself and the hotels generally; there are certain features that must be taken as constructive criticism and should be acted upon by country licensees as

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Dalemead

The U.F.A. held a dance in the hall
 on July 1st, with the Chapman's or-
 chestra in attendance.

Winnie Rudolph, accompanied by her
 cousin, left on Friday, July 3rd, for a
 six months' holiday in Old England.
 We all wish them a real good time,
 and a safe voyage across.

With the last of the exams over,
 the schools closed their doors here
 Tuesday, and with school days quite
 forgotten for a while. The vacations
 were welcomed with a merry shout by
 both pupils and teachers alike.

The Junior U.F.A. held their regular
 meeting last Saturday, July 4, and
 amongst other things, decided to hold
 a picnic at Bonness Park on July
 26th.

The U.F.A. also held a meeting the
 same night, and were addressed by the
 district weed inspector. A large

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crowd turned out.

Rev. P. Johnson delivered his first
 sermon in Dalemead last Sunday,
 July 5, and will conduct services here
 every fortnight.

We were still congratulating our-
 selves over the wonderful people's
 achievement of a week or so ago,
 when— But it's getting late, so we'll
 sign off.

Rockyford

Rockyford will have the pleasure of
 seeing the first baseball this season
 on Sunday afternoon next, when
 Strathmore Juniors will play the
 local Juniors.

Miss Florence Walsh, who has been
 teaching at Lehighville, is renewing
 acquaintances at Rockyford.

Misses Florence and Leah Carpenter
 and Emily Papp have returned
 home for the summer holidays.

Miss M. Harrop, of Harrop, B.C., is
 spending a few days in Rockyford,
 visiting with Miss Anna Bease.

Mr. W. Carpenter is at present en-
 larging his hardware store.

Rev. Fr. Atwood, of New York, is
 visiting in the district for a few days.

Rev. J. H. Garden, formerly of
 Rockyford, is doing good work in his
 new charge at Pincher Creek. The
 United Church took place on
 Wednesday, the ceremony being per-
 formed by the Grand Lodge of the
 Alberta A.F. & A.M. Pincher Creek
 has the honour of being the first new
 building in Canada to be dedicated to
 the United Church of Canada.

ROCKYFORD GOLF NOTES

The Rockyford Golf Club held their
 first dance of the season on Friday
 evening last. The large crowd who
 attended enjoyed tripping the light
 fantastic to the music supplied by the
 July Boys' Orchestra. The same or-
 chestra has been engaged for the dance
 here the evening following the Rock-
 yford on Friday, July 24th.

The Rockyford Golf Club has donated
 a very fine cup to be competed for
 by members of the local club, in a han-
 cap tournament, to be played this
 month.

Many of the local golf enthusiasts
 journeyed to Drumheller for a friend-
 ly tournament. A very enjoyable time
 was reported, and a wish to go again
 in the near future.

UNION CHURCH NOTES

A very fine and instructive service
 was held in the Church last Wednes-
 day, when the Massons attended
 Divine Worship. An augmented choir
 made the singing very inspiring, and a
 mixed quartette composed of Mrs. Col-
 bert and Thurston, and Messrs. L. and
 S. Ropple gave a fine rendition of
 "Abide With Me."

We were disappointed when we
 heard that Mr. Dickson, of Knox
 Church, Calgary, could not be with us,
 but we were certainly not dissatisfied
 with the preacher for the occasion.
 Rev. A. D. Currie, of Strathmore.
 The preacher chose as his text: "And
 upon the top of the Pillars was I like
 a work" from which he drew a very in-
 teresting and thoughtful lesson. In the Temple
 of life, said the preacher, we need the
 pillars of Morality and Religion.
 Above and beyond a man being honest
 and clean, and a good citizen, he needs
 to have friendship with God if human
 character is going to stand sure and
 secure. The preacher showed that the
 pillars of Karma (all in the ancient
 world, not because of outward hostile
 conditions, but because their inner
 material was not stable. Then life
 should be beautiful as well as strong;
 the detail of outward appearance is
 not to be missing. What a difference
 there is, said the preacher, in two
 houses standing on opposite sides of
 the road, the same soil; the same
 climate, the same opportunities; yet
 one is a shack, the other a home, the
 one has "lilywork" all around in the
 form of lawns, flowers, trees, etc.; the
 other none—so, should we work into
 our lives the beautiful things.

If these are the teachings of Free-
 masonry, one should wish to see that
 the use of men extend from the Church
 to their Hall, and then some.

ROAD CONTRACT LET

The Council of M. D. Keoma met
 on July 4th, for the purpose of con-
 sidering tenders for road grading.

Messrs Melbride and Kernick, of
 Irricana, were granted a contract for
 grading 16 miles of road, for the sum
 of \$1602.26.

They were to finish grade by Septem-
 ber 15th, furnish all power, sand, a
 bond, and complete in a manner satis-
 factory to government inspectors.

Calgary Exhibition Jubilee and Stampede

Large numbers from the town and
 district travelled to Calgary on Mon-
 day for the big parade and opening
 day of the exhibition. Those who came
 back by car the same evening had
 heavy going, and a number left their
 cars in Calgary and took the morning
 train back.

The parade was the best ever held
 in the foothill city. Special interest
 was taken in the float arranged by the
 C.P.R. Department, Natural Resources,
 showing a prairie farm, with house,
 barn, silo, etc. This exhibit was
 largely arranged at the Demonstration
 Farm, and was driven by a sixhorse
 team from the Farm.

Dick Cosgrave's horse slipped on
 the wet ground at Calgary Exhibition
 on Monday, and Dick was fortunate
 in getting off with a slightly sprained
 leg.

Miss E. Townier, Dalroy, was thrown
 from her horse in the Stampede
 parade, suffering a broken jaw, and
 the loss of several teeth. The horse
 shed at a piece of paper.

It. A. Allan, of Dalroy, won the
 championship in Canadian level Clydes-
 dale stallions with Grange Guard which
 also won second in the event of the
 championship. His horse took second place
 only to the Prince of Wales in the
 three year old stallion class, and was
 first for stallions of four years and
 over with Grange Guard, and first in
 yearling Clydesdale stallions, and the
 Alberta Clydesdale Fraternity, with
 Grange Guard.

AUTO RACES AT CALGARY SATURDAY

Automobile races take the field for
 the final day of the Calgary Exhibition
 and Stampede this year as a fitting
 climax to the thrills and spills that
 are slated for patrons the early part
 of the week. The events this year,
 which are being held for the seventh
 consecutive year in connection with
 the Exhibition, are to be faster and
 more thrilling than ever.

Among the drivers who have already
 signed up for the events is Fred Harg-
 reave, twice dirt track champion of Canada
 and of the world, and who at present
 time is the holder of seven world's
 records that have withstood the smash-
 ing attacks of that greatest record
 breaker of all time, Sie Hanzdahl,
 the daring little Norwegian pilot, who
 pounded his three miles a minute
 World Wonder Car over the sands of
 Daytona Beach at the rate of 184.27
 miles per hour.

Other speed pilots who have signed
 for the Calgary races are Johnny De
 Palma, Red Miller, Bobby Green,
 Spunk Collins, Billy Williams, George
 Tibbitts, and Bud Putman.

Saturday, July 11, is the day set
 aside for the gasoline events.

GRAIN PRICES

The following grain prices are for
 grain by wagonload at Strathmore:
 not track prices, and for information
 of the public only. Figures are kind-
 ly supplied by Mr. T. H. Eves, of the
 Robin Hood Elevator.

July 7th, 1925

Wheat

Track, Vancouver 1.54
 No. 1 1.25
 2 1.25
 3 1.25

Oats

2 C.W. 28
 3 C.W. 24

Flax

No. 1 1.80
 2 1.75

Barley

No. 3 62
 4 57

Rye

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 3 C.W. 52



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Beiseker Notes

Beiseker baseball team won the honors at the Granger sports on July 1st, defeating successfully the teams of Acme and of Granger.

Mr. O. A. Jones, of Beiseker, plans over the King George Hotel, and purchased it some time ago from the Silver Star Co. of Calgary.

Mr. R. N. Hagel is in Hot Springs, Montana, and Mr. Ludwig is in Vancouver. Both for the benefit of their health. Mr. John Schultz and Mr. Jones have returned from a successful holiday at Pilo Lake. They announce that the fish are biting fine for those in the know.

Mr. P. Schmalz has nearly completed the new house opposite the

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A GREAT SOLDIER

One of the big events of the year in Alberta is the visit this week of Field Marshal Lord Haig, commander-in-chief of the British Armies in France during the Great War. Lord Haig, with the forces in France all through the War and the ultimate success of the Allies in the fight, is as much due to him as to any one individual.

But "Duggie" as he was sometimes affectionately dubbed, besides being a good friend to the men under him, and his interest in them did not cease with the war, as was unfortunately the case with most of the other war leaders. When the British Parliament offered him a large sum as a reward for his services, he refused to take it until the men's preferences were adjusted. By voluntary subscription a grateful battalion presented him with the title deeds to the home of his forefathers, Dennerdale, in Scotland. All his time since the war finished has been devoted to the bettering of the lot of the ex-soldier, and it is primarily for that purpose that he is in Canada, as host of the British Empire Service League. His visit has had a good effect in uniting the soldier organizations in Canada, some of which have not been on any too cordial relations with each other. Part of the trouble came from attempts to use the soldiers for political purposes, some from people creating jobs for themselves by the formation of organizations, and from jealousy.

Lord Haig is a great soldier and a great man, and as such is assured a hearty welcome in Canada, especially from the men who served under him. It is a pity that some of our Canadian generals could not have done for the Canadian soldier what Haig has done for the British soldier. It is not too late for them to do something now, provided they have the ability.

HAVE YOU JOINED THE POOLS?

Considerable apathy seems to prevail in this district with regard to the Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry Pools, which are going strong in other parts of the province.

The main reason seems to be that with most of the farmers here mixed farming is a sideline, that the C.P.R. Farm provides a good market for surplus eggs and cream, but the main reason why the campaign has not gone over here is the non-appearance of the pool speaker who was announced to be here a couple of weeks ago, and who disappointed an audience of about one hundred farmers, and their wives by not being present, or sending a substitute speaker.

However, the pools organization has stated that they will now send a speaker down any day the local people will fix on, and it is to be hoped that this will be arranged.

Co-operation is a form of self help that in our opinion forms a necessary part of profitable farming. Alberta is going in more strongly each year for solved farming. We have to seek export markets. Great Britain forms a great market for everything that can be raised here, but the produce has to be shipped in such a way that it will reach the market there in a steady stream.

AN ENJOYABLE PICNIC

The United Church School of Nakama, Chadeau, and Strathmore, planned at the river near Nakama Park on a Wednesday, July 1st, a picnic of two hundred children and adults making the trip. A bonfire lunch was served at noon beneath the big old oaks near the water, and then a most enjoyable programme of sports for the children was conducted by the Sports Committee, consisting of Misses, Misses, and Mrs. W. F. MacKinnon, and Messrs J. L. McLean, W. Reid, and A. H. Rowe. Mr. Sutermeister presented the prizes which were very were awarded, while Mr. Whitney did yeoman service at the booth where fourteen gallons of ice cream and prodigious quantities of chocolate ate, soon disappeared. Frank Miller won the prize for transporting the greatest number of children in the picnic. Mr. Sutermeister for the most artistic picnic hat, E. C. Watts for the champion fisherman, and there is a tie for the best exhibition of the restaurant art among several small boys. The water was fine and the day very worthwhile in every way to the church schools of the United Church.

SIXTH CROP REPORT

By the Alberta Department of Agriculture, June 24th, 1925.

Warm weather accompanied by hot dry winds during the past week has made a distinct change in the crop situation for now is that of the province. The grain is still showing a healthy, vigorous growth, but the stage has been reached where more rain will be needed within another week if actual damage and lessening of ultimate yield is not to be the result.

In a number of districts in the southern part of the province, hot weather and winds have already had a damaging effect on the wheat now headed out, the heads showing a shrunken condition that will mean a 25 per cent. decrease in the yield. In these districts the most that can be hoped for now is that the undamaged portions of the heads will fill out.

Generally speaking the situation continued to be satisfactory. The wheat is making coming into the short blade, and in some districts in the south the early wheat is already heading out. Fall wheat is well advanced, and the first cutting of alfalfa is under way. Range conditions continue excellent, and the prospects are at present for plenty of feed. There is ample labor for present needs.

No Increase in Acreage

It becomes more apparent as the season advances that the first estimates of wheat acreage will suffer considerable revision when the final figures are available. The indications now are that there will be practically no increase in the general wheat acreage over the province, the addition to acreage in some districts being more than offset by the large area withdrawn from wheat production in the south-eastern districts as a result of the removal of many farms to other parts. These farmers for the most part have taken up farms already cultivated so that they will bring practically no new wheat acreage into calculation. The department of agriculture has moved a total of 900 families in the past two years, and it is estimated that twice as many more have moved off their own volition.

There is also to be considered the fact that a good deal of the area in the eastern central districts affected by worms has been re-seeded to other crops and withdrawn from the general wheat acreage.

No estimate of wheat yields is as yet being attempted, but the situation is being surveyed with the view of making an estimate shortly. Some districts expect record yields, while others which have suffered from white worms and cutworms, and from the damaging effect of the hot, dry weather, will have considerably lowered yields.

Damage from hail has not been extensive as yet.

Carseland

A large number of people from here drove to Calgary early Monday morning to see the parade.

The date has been set for the U.F.A. picnic. There may be some apology due for not holding it at the usual time, but owing to rush of work in June, the local was unable to make the arrangements. However, the later date, July 24th, should be as good a time, and give everybody a days enjoyment just before harvest.

The district will be canvassed in the near future with a view to obtaining as many members for the three new pools as possible. These pools represent the farmers' second effort towards merchandising their own product, and should have the support of every farmer.

Rev. Johnson and family arrived in Carseland last week and officiated at the Sunday School and Church for the first time.

The Alberta of July 4th contained an announcement of the marriage of Miss Maudie Alderson and Mr. Chas. Baker. Their many friends extend to them their very best wishes.

The committee for darters to the dairy pool seems to be worshipping the operators of the darters, which fact should be a strong argument in favor of the pool.

E. A. Bishop reported some hail damage to wheat last week. The same storm did considerable damage south of the Bow.

Mr. Wills, who is in the general hospital, is reported as getting along well and should be out in another week.

REXALL STORE CHANGES HANDS
An important business deal took place last week when Messrs McKee and Son sold the Strathmore Pharmacy business to Mr. S. L. Evans. Messrs McKee and Son bought the business from Mr. W. M.



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Sunday, July 12th, 1926

Namaka—Church School and Public
Worship, the former opening at
10.45 a.m., and the latter at 11.30 a.m.

Cheadle—Combined Service beginning
at 5.30 p.m.

Strathmore—Church School at 11 a.m.
Church Worship at 7.30 p.m.

The theme will be the second in
a series on "Some of Life's Hard
Questions": "Are Men Fundamen-
tally Good or Bad?"

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Sunday, July 12th, 1926

11.30 a.m.—Holy Communion, Carle-
land.

4.00 p.m.—Baptismal Service, Strath-
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7.30 p.m.—Evangelism, Strathmore.
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Strathmore Strathmore
July 15.

Slats' Diary

Friday—Mrs. Gillean had sum oil
stocks sum time ago. Today pa was
thinking of investing
sum money in stock and
he saw Mr. Gillean did
he realize much out of
his oil stocks and Mr.
Gillean replied and an-
swered the oney thing
he realized out of his
oil stock was the fact
that they was 1 lib
him burned every m't.
Sat.—After Mrs. Soo-
manns husband died &
she got his insurance
money she had a new
otto and a bowl of gold
fishes. An Emmy act
had just kind of gold fish
she had bought and she
told 'Aa' Emmy that
as far as she new they was
15 Carrot ones.

Sunday—got into a argumint in Sun-
day school this morning about who
new the most prominent men. I see
my day school hands with the covers
and I kid was all swollen up becuz
he had saw Henry Ford. Bisters said
his daddy had new the 1st man to ever
get electrified by this act.

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wanted to tell his boss an he went to
the telephone and in about three 2nds
he had his party. An Emmy said. My
you got service offid rapid diddnt
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that all the roog numbers must of
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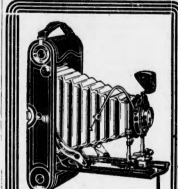
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Strathmore, Alta.
"The Reliable Land
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Office 98, Residence 95

Stampede Day
JULY 15
STRATHMORE'S
BIG
STAMPEDE

Get some good pic-
tures of the events.
We have dependable
Kodaks in all the popu-
lar sizes, and at
prices to suit your
purse.

A fresh stock of
Flags

Small ones for your
car, and larger ones
for decorating.

Boxes, paper, and
pie plates for your
picnic baskets.

Strathmore
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Rexall Drug Store

H. WOOD

begs to announce that
he is resigning his
position with the
Strathmore Trading
Company on July 7th,
and, for a short time,
after that date, will be
prepared to undertake
SIGN WRITING
and
HOUSE
DECORATIVE
WORK

Weather Report

Supplied by C. P. Irrigation Dept.
June 30th to July 6th, 1926

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LOST OR STRAYED Last Fall, One
Bay Mare, weighing about 1500 lbs.,
no brand, slight buckskin stripe or
mark down back. \$10.00 Reward.
Phone R414, S. Griffith, Nightingale.

LOST, 2 Horses, One Grey and One
Black, weight about 1200 lbs., 4
years old, and broke, headed C.P.R.
on left shoulder, and Bar C on left
hip. Reward for information lead-
ing to recovery by C.P.R. Demonstra-
tion and Supply Farm, Strathmore.
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